DCI WELCOMING REMARKS

EXECUTIVE SEMINAR IN NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS
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9:00 a.m.

Agency. I am pleased that you have scheduled a session with us. Your ten month seminar is unique in the depth and exposure you obtain on domestic and foreign policy issues. The staff of the Foreign Service Institute is to be commended.

Senior representatives of CIA's three Directorates and our Executive Director

will be briefing you today on how the Agency is structured, their Directorates' missions, and how we carry out our primary responsibility which is to provide our national leaders with accurate, timely information and analysis of foreign developments. My predecessor in this job developed an apparatus which uses photography, electronics, acoustics, seismic sensors, and other technical marvels to gather facts on a daily basis from all parts of the world. CIA has thousands of scholars in every discipline of technology and social science to evaluate, analyze and task the collectors to get the critical information which is needed to improve our understanding of what's going on in the world today. That mission and the people and apparatus

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